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Deputations Interviewed Council Tuesday Night

His Worship Mayor Somers and all the Aldermen were present at the Council meeting on Tuesday evening. After the adoption of the minutes, a delegation from the Council of the Board of Trade, consisting of W. H. Odell, President, Curt Smith and E. A. Reynolds, accompanied by R. W. Manley chairman of the Town Planning Commission, addressed the Council, urging that signs directing traffic into Wetaskiwin be erected at strategic points at the earliest possible date. A general discussion took place, in which it was stated that the Council would be pleased to co-operate with the Board of Trade in this matter, and the secretary was instructed to write to the Highway Commissioner and find out what restrictions there are to the erection of signs on the highway and to also ascertain the cost of same.

Wm. Mellett addressed the Council, and suggested that a park be provided where mothers and babies might enjoy themselves, and the new parks in the city became more mature. This was referred to the Town Planning Commission.

R. A. Lawson interviewed the Council in respect to a license as grain dealer. Referred to Committee.

A letter was read from the Pension Department at Edmonton, in respect to the application of Mrs. Martha Osborne, for Old Age Pension, stating that this could not be granted owing to residence requirements. Referred to C. H. Russell, solicitor, to take up the question with the Dominion Government.

F. S. Watson wrote to dispute for 1929 taxes. Council has no knowledge of any arrangement and agreed that no allowance could be made.

Mr. Robertson, Deputy Minister of the Unemployment Relief Work, wrote stating that certified statements of the work done in Wetaskiwin had been forwarded to Ottawa, and no payments could be made until these were ratified.

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Town Topics

Keep in mind the Old Timers' At Home on Monday, March 28th.

The V.A. will meet at the home of Mrs. Harry Cook, on Tuesday, March 8th.

Miss Lauretta Vickers left last week to visit friends in Calgary and Nanton.

C. J. G. Swanson left last week for Winnipeg, where he expects to take up his residence.

The friends of Mrs. Greenwood regret to learn that she is confined to bed through illness.

Elsie Gardiner, who was operated on for appendicitis in the Wetaskiwin hospital, will be at home again shortly.

Miss Kathleen Paulsen of Asker, is spending a few days visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Everts and family.

Rev. P. M. Meyer returned Tuesday from Regina, Sask., where he has been conducting special services for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. McPaul and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ballhorn and Gordon, motored to Camrose last Friday and enjoyed the ski jumping contest.

Great honor was given Wetaskiwin L.O.B.A. last week, during Grand Lodge session in Edmonton, Mrs. A. E. Hall being elected as Grand Deputy Lecturer.

C. H. Russell and G. Baker were in Edmonton last week in connection with the bill to be introduced in the Legislature ratifying Wetaskiwin's Hospital Agreement.

The regular meeting of the Wetaskiwin Business Club will be held in the Driford Club rooms on Thursday evening, March 3, at 8:30. All members are requested to be present.

Clus Groves, who has been looking after his business interests and renewing acquaintances in this community for the past month, left for his home in Puyallup, Wash., on Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Little and Mrs. Donaldson of Calgary, visited Mr. and Mrs. A. MacFarlane Friday and Saturday.

Mr. Little is the Rt. Worshipful Grand Deputy of the L.O.L.

About twenty members of Wetaskiwin Lodge A.P. & A.M. motored to Edmonton on Thursday evening last, when Strathcona Lodge honored Rt. Worshipful Bro. Fred MacFarlane of Wetaskiwin, he being the first Worshipful Master of that Lodge.

Mrs. Darracott of Vancouver, and Mrs. Edgar of Calgary, were entertained at Mrs. R. S. Mellett's during their visit here. Mrs. Darracott is the Most Worshipful Grand Mistress of British America L.O.B.A., and Mrs. Edgar is the Rt. Worshipful Past Grand Mistress of Alberta.

A.P.P. TRANSFER BILL RECEIVES 2ND READING

Edmonton, Feb. 27.—Claims that 75 members of the Alberta force were to be let out when the R.C.M.P. took over the policing of the province and that there was much dissatisfaction among members of the A.P.P. concerning the agreement were heard in the legislature Friday when the bill to ratify the agreement between the province and Dominion was under consideration.

Replying to the report that a large number of the A.P.P. were not to be retained by the Dominion, Hon. Mr. Lyburn said he did not anticipate any trouble along that line. About 150 men had already been approved and there might be others.

The bill was given second reading in the legislature and then advanced to the committee stage, where progress was reported.

THE SINO-JAPANESE TR. BLE SUBJECT OF B. OF T. ADDRESS

The Wetaskiwin Board of Trade is very fortunate in having arranged with Mr. John Imrie, managing director of the Edmonton Journal, to be the guest speaker at the monthly luncheon to be held at the Driford Hotel on Wednesday evening, March 23.

Mr. Imrie will refer to his trip to the Orient as Chairman of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce, and will refer more particularly to the Sino-Japanese trouble.



HON. R. B. BENNETT

Prime Minister of Canada

Who is carrying on the arduous labors of the session with undiminished vigor, and insists that his policy of rigid economy be strictly adhered to.

Obituary

MRS. JULIA MACIBORSKY

There passed away at her home near Pulpin on Friday last, Mrs. Julia Maciborsky, beloved wife of Mike Maciborsky. She was a native of Austria, and was aged forty-six years.

For the past seven years she and her family had made their home in the Pulpin district, where she made many friends who all deeply regret her passing. She leaves to mourn her loss, her sorrowing husband, and a large family of small children as well as a number of relatives, and a large circle of friends and acquaintances.

The funeral took place on Sunday, services being conducted at the home, and interment was made in the Wetaskiwin cemetery.

The Oddfellows and Rebekahs held a social evening in their lodge room on Monday evening last, when 500 and bridge were played, followed by dancing. The prizes at 500 were won by Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Scott, and the bridge prizes were won by Mrs. Hutton and R. Armstrong.

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The official declaration will be made on Saturday next by the returning officers of the two Municipalities.

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Attention is directed to the Driford Hotel advertisement elsewhere in this issue

Miss Best of Edmonton, was a guest of Dr. and Mrs. Stevenson during the past week.

Mr. R. H. Mills of Sedgewick, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Compton the first part of the week.

Mrs. F. R. Darby of Edmonton, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Thompson.

Miss Laura Walker spent the week-end with her sisters, Misses Eva and Kathleen, at the Arlington Apartments, Edmonton.

Mrs. R. Coursey, Rt. Worshipful Grand Secretary of the L.O.B.A., visited Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hall Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. R. W. Hill of Breton, who attended the L.O.B.A. convention at Edmonton, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McPaul.

We understand that the mixed bonspiel which was completed a few days ago, terminated the curling season in Wetaskiwin, and the rink is now closed.

A number of Oddfellows went to Millet Wednesday evening, to attend a meeting at which John West and Leonard Gray were presented with Veterans' Jewels.

Mrs. A. L. Greene of Edmonton, will address a parlor meeting of the W.C.T.U. at the home of the local Union president, Mrs. Wm. Mellett, on Tuesday, March 8th, at 3 p.m. All ladies interested are invited.

The rounds of the Driford Hotel is being greatly improved in appearance this week, as the room is being altered, and a new ceiling is being put in. After the painters complete the work this will be a great improvement to Wetaskiwin's popular hotel.

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Mun. District Bigstone Holds Final 1931 Session

A Council meeting of M.D. Bigstone No. 459 was held February 15th, at Lone Ridge hall, with H. Arnold, Reeve, and Coun. C. J. Hanson, G. Helmers, O. P. Nelson, M. H. Unland and Herman Strohschein present.

Minutes of January meeting read and adopted as read on motion by Coun. Strohschein.

Secretary present bill of J. Torrance amounting to \$31.65 on account of supplies given Mrs. Blanchard. It was moved by Coun. Helmers that the necessities as supplied between Nov. 7th and Dec. 7th, and amounting to \$12.85 be paid for, but as this woman would be in receipt of Mother's Allowance that the balance could be paid by herself.

Letter from Dr. Hankin re account for medical services given Mrs. Gyurovics was read. Information was given to Council that Mr. Gyurovics was now working and had intimated his intention of paying this account himself. Secretary was instructed to reply to Dr. Hankin to the effect: "Further communications re 1929 W.L. tax still outstanding against the N.E. 35-47-27-4 were read. Satisfactory information was given Council that this land should not have been assessed for W.L. tax in 1929."

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Championship Wrestling to Be Staged Here March 19th

Wetaskiwin is to be treated to a big dish of amateur provincial championship wrestling, arrangements having just been completed whereby the Northern Alberta eliminations of the Alberta Branch A.A.U. of C. will be staged in the Elks' hall on Saturday evening, March 19th, under the auspices of the Wetaskiwin Sports Association. The winners in the various classes will qualify for the finals of the Provincial Championships to be held in Calgary on April 1 and 2.

There will be competitions in the 112, 118, 123, 134, 145, 158, 174, 191 and over 191 lbs. classes and the gladiators will take to the mat at 8 o'clock sharp, as the card will probably consume nearly four hours' time.

A.A.U. of C. Olympic rules will govern the competition. No athlete who has competed on a professional "card" will be permitted to compete. All participants must be bona-fide amateurs and be in possession of current registration cards of the Alberta Branch A.A.U. of C.

Application forms for amateur cards and entry forms may be secured on application to C. B. McMurdo, Secretary of the Wetaskiwin Sports Association. Entries must be deposited with Mr. McMurdo not later than March 18. Competitors must weigh-in and undergo medical examination on the afternoon of the "card" at the Elks' hall.

It is understood that already assurances have been received of twenty two dozen entries from the northern part of the province, including a number of Mike Bilinsky's proteges.

Women's Institute to Hold Another Baby Clinic Here

In spite of the bad condition of the roads eighteen were present at the February meeting of the Wetaskiwin Women's Institute held last Thursday and enjoyed a pleasant afternoon.

When all bills were paid it was found that the sum of \$47.30 had been cleared from the chicken supper held on the 13th. The institute wishes to thank those who patronized this supper and helped to make it a success.

Application has been made to hold a Baby Clinic again this year, as well as an application to the Dept. of Agriculture for a Short Course in Dry Cleaning.

Arrangements were made to quilt the bedspread members are making in cross-stitch embroidery and upon which tickets will be sold. The lucky ticket will be drawn at a tea and food sale to be held in the club rooms on Saturday, April 16th.

Six members won the prizes for perfect attendance. They were Mrs. Herbert Miller, Mrs. J. H. Rodell, Mrs. Wm. Hogan, Mrs. George Wiseman, Mrs. B. Nowell and Mrs. J. H. Kuowlan. Membership pins were given to those who had not already won them and Chinese brass candle sticks to the others. It was the 5th

anniversary of the joining of the W.I. by the president Mrs. Wm. Miller, who during that time has only missed one meeting, and that due to quarantine regulations.

The program was in charge of Mrs. A. R. Dickson, Convenor of the League of Nations Committee, who gave a very interesting talk upon the founding of the League and its functions. Jean and Robert George played two violin duets accompanied by their sister Isabel, and Mrs. H. J. Montgomery sang two vocal solos.

Mrs. Templeman and Mrs. Droler served a dainty tea at the close of the meeting.

FINAL CHAMPIONSHIP HOCKEY

The final game to decide the triangular league championship will be played in Wetaskiwin on Friday, March 4th, at 8:30 sharp, between Wetaskiwin and Leduc.

As each team has won a game in the play-offs, this should be the best exhibition seen here this season. This will be the last game of the season.

The Vancouver, B. C. Star has ceased publication.

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HOWARD LOGAN.

Member from Wetaskiwin Gives Address in House

(Continued from last week)

Now just a word on this subject. I must compliment the Minister in his changed attitude from last year. He gave us some useful and instructive information in connection with his department, a procedure that all Ministers should follow. Of course he made the best of a bad job in replying to the criticisms of Mr. Howson. He is a past master at satire and sarcasm, but the public expect more than that at the present time.

The only reason I touch on matters pertaining to the Department of Education is to try and get an explanation from the Minister in connection with some remarkable workings of his Department. It is the only department or institution that I have ever heard of that refuses a position to a teacher on account of too much education. Here we have a young lady three years University with a B. A. Degree, refused permission to teach in a rural school. The Department ruling is that she is not permitted to teach the lower grades 1 to 7 when a Normal graduate of one year's training can teach from 1 to 12. Surely if a Normal student can teach these grades, how much better can a University graduate perform the duties? Otherwise the extra time and money spent in the University training is wasted and in vain.

Then we come to the formation of School Districts. Here again will be found cases where the action of officials of this department are past all understanding. A School District is formed without any regard to the size of the district or to the convenience of those included to attend the school. The new districts are generally formed in the outlying territory where land is unproductive, and are less than reasonable distance and passable roads it is most unfair to make the districts so large that settlers have to pay School Taxes that they can ill afford to and get no benefit from the school.

I have one case in the Norbuck School District. The children are included in the District, and if the roads were open, which they are not, the children would have to walk or drive between 6 to 7 miles, but it is 12 miles the way they now have to go. Of course they cannot attend—no parent in adding to the tax on taxes has to pay tuition fees in another district, and board for the children, and the officials will do nothing.

I was anxiously waiting for a statement from the Minister as to whether he proposes to amend the School Act by abolishing S.S.A. and B. of Sec. 157 relating to teachers' contracts as asked unanimously by the recent Convention of School Trustees. I understand also that the teachers are opposed to these clauses, so that makes it unanimous as far as the contracting parties are concerned. The Minister, therefore, can have no reasonable excuse for not acceding to this request, and we look forward to an amendment accordingly.

Another resolution passed unanimously at the Teachers' Convention asked that the minimum teacher's salary of \$840 be reduced, or the minimum be abolished altogether. These men have the cause of education and of their schools at heart, and they would not hold the positions they do. When they seek for a reduction in the minimum—it is because the conditions demand it. Now an inspector must approve of a reduction below the minimum. He likes to stand in with the teachers. The Dept., apparently does not want him to approve of reduction. So he refuses. The buck is passed. He blames the Department, and the Department blames him. When other salaries are being reduced I cannot see how the teachers can escape. I have a great deal of sympathy with them, but they are victims of present conditions in two ways. An overproduction of teachers, and the inability of the taxpayer to provide the salary. Conditions will right themselves in these respects and the salaries will again return to normal figures.

Then the Minister speaks with pride about the number of two-room Rural or Consolidated Schools. From what I have heard I cannot see how the ratepayers in these School Districts can carry on, as the school taxes are beyond the limit of the taxpayers to pay and their land will be confiscated for taxes—which runs from \$50.00 to \$100.00 per quarter, and the accumulated taxes in some cases are getting very close to the present value of the land. Food and clothing must come before taxes and it is necessary that the taxation burden in this respect must be greatly reduced. While reduced expenditure and the order of the day, a reduction in the School Grants must be made.

Much hardship and inconvenience has been caused outlying School Districts by the new valuation recently made, which has increased the assessment in many cases, resulting in a reduction of the Equalization grants.

There is no reason or excuse at this time to increase assessments. I would ask the Minister to re-establish the former grants in the districts affected.

Relief
Mention is made in the Speech from the Throne of Relief and Relief Work. I have some criticism to offer in the way it has been carried out.

First there is one matter I wish to call to the attention of the Minister. His officials took a strong stand on the question of concentrating road work, with the result that Relief Work did not provide the relief it was intended to, or that it should have done. Better results may be obtained by spending large sums on a small number of locations, but from the settlers point of view, small sums spent on a large number of locations would have been infinitely more desirable.

I know of many cases of the most deserving kind, where advantage could not be taken to earn money because the location of the work was too far away for them to take advantage of it, for they could not leave home overnight. If it becomes necessary to continue relief work another year, I hope the Minister will bear this criticism in mind, and try and provide work where those needing it can take advantage of the opportunity.

Then again no provision apparently was made for allowing men with large families any preference in the amount of work they might be permitted to do. This should be corrected.

It appears to me also that large sums of money were wasted last year in making it necessary for the A.P.P. to personally investigate every application for relief work. Thousands of miles were travelled to make these investigations, and as nine out of every ten settlers needed the work and could qualify for it, all of this expense could have been saved by permitting the foreman in charge of the work to engage the men. Being a local man, he would also have a personal knowledge of the circumstances of each applicant and could pass on their applications much more intelligently than the Police, who probably never saw the applicant before.

I hope the Government will try to work out a plan of relief work so that whatever work was taken it would result in permanent benefit, and some at least could be dropped from the relief list thereafter.

Give the unemployed work clearing land for the settlers, say up to for repayment. The owner of the land thereafter would not only become self-supporting and earn his

own living, but might be in a position to give employment to others. This hit and miss policy of relief work should not be continued. The Premier suggests a conference of all Governments after the Session to formulate a definite plan for the next four years. He is right. We give him credit for the idea, provided he can get credit to carry on the relief work.

I found a great desire on the part of settlers in unorganized districts to be allowed to work out a portion of their taxes. Roads need to be opened up and improved. The Government has no funds with which to carry out this work, unless the taxes are paid. The settlers have no money to pay the taxes. Proceedings under the Tax Recovery Act are threatened. I would ask the Government to formulate some system whereby settlers can work out at least a portion of their taxes. A scheme of this kind should work out to the advantage of all concerned.

Debt Adjustment Act
Much has been said about the splendid service rendered by the Debt Adjustment Act, but nothing has been said about the abuse taking place under its cloak.

Bootlegging of grain, livestock, and produce is prevalent. Sharp practices are indulged in. A man sells his crop, then comes under the protection of the Act when his creditors take steps to get some of the proceeds. False reports are submitted and incorrect returns are made, and nothing is done about it. Then again the cost of operating the Act runs into a very large sum—about \$80,000.00 annually—and is paid by the people of the province, instead of by those receiving its benefits. At least a sufficient charge should be made so that the Act will be self supporting.

Only as a last resort should a farmer apply to come under the Act. He assigns to the Board his entire interest in his property and the products of his land and cannot sell out chicken or a bushel of potatoes without remitting the proceeds to the Board. All he is allowed for his own use is the revenue from a few cows and a small flock of poultry. Then again, when he does remit the proceeds for the sake of any commodity and asks for a portion to be returned to him so that he can buy some of the necessities of life, it is weeks before he receives it from the Board—and he and his family may starve or freeze to death in the meantime.

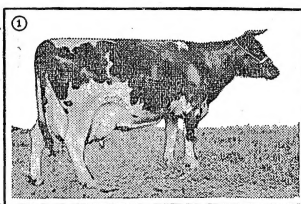
Generally, the farmer is stampeded or frightened into seeking the protection of the Act by one single creditor threatening or taking action. If there was some other method of holding off this creditor, not one third of those now holding certificates would have had to apply for protection.

This Act should be revised and an opportunity given all interests to place their views before a Committee of the House.

Blender Twine Guarantees
In reply to a question we are told that there still remains unpaid under the guarantee given the banks for blender twine purchases the sum of \$89,000, or about 25 per cent of the total amount guaranteed. Needless to say, that this 25 per cent is going to be slow and hard to collect, and in the very nature of the transaction a heavy loss is bound to occur. I have just one comment to make at this time. When the Government gives the banks a guarantee such as this, although the borrower is charged 8 per cent by the bank, 3 per cent interest should be paid to the Government giving the guarantee, which would provide a fund to help meet any possible losses, and would constitute a reserve for bad debts.

Canteen Fund
No one regrets more than I do the heavy losses that this fund has recently sustained. The general impression is that this Government is to blame for not providing the necessary safeguards to protect the fund. The Government proposes an enquiry by a committee of this House. I do not think this is sufficient. A judicial enquiry is what is needed, and no less will satisfy the returned men. If this Government is found responsible, they must make the losses good. The Superannuation Fund
Not long ago there appeared in the

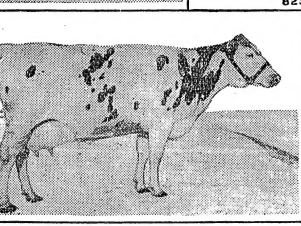
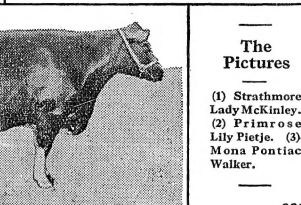
Strathmore Farm Holds Three Milk and Butter Production Records



When milk and butter are the topic of conversation, attention must needs be directed to the Canadian Pacific Railway's supply farm, at Strathmore, Alta., where three bovine aristocrats have established outstanding production records for 1931, for the whole of Canada. There is little to choose between the three cows; a glance at their pictures tells the story. Excellent stock, well handled, has once more proven its worth and E. W. Jones, the company's Superintendent of Agriculture and Animal Industry, is justly proud of the achievement.

Strathmore Farm, under Government regulation, led all the milk producers in Canada by over 2,000 lbs., having completed a yearly record on November 27, 1931, with 30,464 lbs. of milk and 1,160 lbs. of butter. In 1930, as a four-year-old, she held another record, with 29,202 lbs. of milk and 1,071 lbs. of butter. The next highest milk production record for 1931 goes to Primrose Lily Pictie—15147—who also held the butter record for the Dominion for the same year. Her performance was 28,271 lbs. of milk and 1,210 lbs. of butter. She is an outstanding show animal and took first prize in the dry cow class at Vancouver and Victoria in 1931.

The four-year-old, who is shown in the picture for Canada, for both milk and butter is held by Strathmore Lady McKinley—143399—acquired her records under Government regulation, in 1931, with 25,569 lbs. of milk and 1,102.5 lbs. of butter. She is a remarkably fine beast of the best of Holstein pedigree, as is shown by her fine lines.



The Pictures

- (1) Strathmore Lady McKinley.
- (2) Primrose Lily Pictie.
- (3) Mona Pontiac Walker.

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public press a long list of Civil Servants who had been supernumerated, and interest was at once directed to the Superintendent. What do we find? The Fund is non-existent as far as actual money or negotiable securities are concerned. The amount to the credit of the fund is \$1,285,702.04. Every dollar has been converted to the use of the Provincial Treasury. It has been swallowed up in current revenue, and under the present conditions the Government cannot replace it.

In case of demands on the fund it might lead the Government to adopt a niggardly attitude, for the money must be secured from current revenue. It must be found, for it is not in a special fund which should be available at all times. I would direct your attention to British Columbia, where its superannuation fund of \$4,125,000.00, all invested in high grade securities.

At the earliest possible moment when conditions become favorable, this Government should do likewise and safeguard in every way this most important fund which provides valuable assistance to those who on account of age are no longer required in the public service.

The Police Situation
We will have the opportunity at a later date to discuss the Agreement recently tabled. At a first glance some of the clauses appear somewhat objectionable, but they can be fully gone into at the proper time.

It does appear good that a splendid and efficient force such as the A.P.P. should be sacrificed in the interests of economy. Their salaries are going to be considerably less and they may receive no protection in every way. Their rank and seniority should be maintained, and their pension fund must be thoroughly safeguarded. It is a bitter disappointment to those, especially with long service, to have their splendid fund disbursed and they themselves receive a lump sum that they may not get them anywhere, whereas in another five years some of the members could retire with a substantial monthly pension which would be of real value to them. The Royal Canadian Mounted Police pension is not nearly so generous at retirement.

Turner Valley Oil
The suggestion of the Premier to have all interests appear before a committee of this House and give their side of the case is a most com-

mendable one, for the ordinary member knows very little about the situation. That it is a burning question in more ways than one goes without saying, for everyone who owns a share of oil stock is intensely interested in any proposed action about to be taken by this Legislature—and if the Government makes a mistake at this time in dealing with the matter, its goose is cooked.

The Premier tells us that if no conservation methods are put into effect the field will be out of gas in three years. He must be a real gas expert to foresee the future in this way. It appears to me that if the gas company supplying the towns and cities of Southern Alberta from the Turner Valley field do not protect their investment or the interest of the people they serve by securing sufficient acreage in gas leases to assure them a definite supply for a number of years, they are guilty of negligence, incompetency and gross mismanagement, and should be liable for immense damages to their customers if the gas falls that they are now depending on. They should develop their own field, and not be the victims of a situation that might clean them out of a gas supply at any time.

But, Mr. Speaker, in spite of all the gloom and uncertainty, we have a ray of hope. A new star has risen. There is a golden glow in the black cloud of depression. I am surprised that the Premier did not mention it when referring to the U.P.A. Convention. Its first child, this Government, unable to bring prosper-

perity through legislative action, is left to its fast approaching fate. The new arrival is hailed with delight. It is the Moses to lead us into the promised land. It is called the Co-operative Commonwealth. No more money kings or financial interests to grind us under their heels. No more taxes, debts or interest to pay. No more problems such as Provincial financing, Turner Valley gas, unemployment relief, Canteen funds, debtor or creditor to engage the attention of the Government. No bothersome or embarrassing questions by members of the opposition. Everyone living in harmony and working together for the common good without expectation of reward or any thought of personal advancement. One happy family. I have no doubt but that this Government would welcome without arms an ideal condition of this kind, but in order to save them it must be brought into effect before the next Provincial election.

ALBERTA TOWN

TO ISSUE SCRIPT

A Calgary news despatch recently stated that the town of Raymond, Alberta, will issue shortly \$10,000 in script in an effort to solve its financial difficulties. The script will be redeemable at par in January, 1933. Certificates will be printed on both negotiable and non-negotiable paper. The latter will be used as par in payments of tax arrears, while the former will be issued to all employees of the town on a basis of 40 percent script and 60 percent currency.

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Alberta Legislative Assembly

(Interesting news letter from our Correspondent in the Press Gallery, Parliament Buildings,

Edmonton, Feb. 29.—The highlight of the week in the Legislature was of course, the bringing down of the budget on Thursday by the provincial treasurer, Hon. R. G. Reid. It had been awaited with the keenest interest and as anticipated disclosed that the government intended to impose new taxation including a provincial income tax.

One of the chief items of interest disclosed was that the government intended, if at all possible, to keep the deficit for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1932, down to \$1,000,000. It also showed that the government was budgeting for a surplus of \$149,200 for the ensuing year. Estimated income was placed at \$16,822,344 and estimated expenditure \$16,673,144.

New sources of revenue are to be tapped by means of a provincial income tax which will give exemption of \$750 to single men and \$1,500 for married men. The tax is to be graduated from one per cent upward and for corporations four per cent with an exemption of \$1,000. Continuation of the present contribution from salaries of civil servants and university staff is to be maintained; the old scale of amusement taxes is to be reinstated in order to catch the "two-bit matinee" tickets; motor license fees and truck licenses are increased; there is to be a 10 per cent increase on corporations as far as license fees paid by insurance, elevator, express, telegraph and miscellaneous companies are concerned and there is to be a general increase in taxation of banks and of trust, loan and gas companies.

Following the introduction of the budget there was much unfavorable comment among the opposition. It early became evident that the Liberals are preparing to battle all along the line in regard to the new taxes, reiterating their previous intimation that they would have to be shown the absolute necessity for new taxation before they would let it pass without challenge.

Notwithstanding the interest aroused

ed by the budget it did not overshadow the keen verbal sword play that took place during the entire week. Wordy battles have been waged across the floor of the House. A regular barrage of criticism was laid down by the Liberals when the House was dealing with motions by W. R. Howson, Edmonton, and L. A. Giroux.

Mr. Howson's motion sought to prevent any further loan, guarantee or advance being made by the government, except in urgent cases without the authorization of the assembly. It was finally defeated by a vote of 37 to 16 after a somewhat acrimonious debate.

Mr. Giroux's motion sought to extend the homesteading privileges to all Canadians who were British subjects instead of restricting it to three-year residents of Alberta. This too, was defeated by a vote of 11 to 41, the Conservatives voting with the government.

Before the bill was finally disposed of Mr. Howson again objected. He claimed the government had not the power to proceed in this fashion except in cases of extreme urgency and nothing had been said by the Premier or the Provincial Treasurer that disclosed the slightest urgency. All that had been said was that if it did not go through that day then a number of eastern brokers would be disappointed. He considered the government should study the disappointment of the taxpayers rather than that of the brokers.

The Premier declared that the urgency was evident. They had an opportunity to go on the market while other provinces and municipal bodies would have to wait. They only knew of this opportunity a day or two previously.

After considerable debate Fred J. White, Labor, Calgary, moved an amendment which favored lessened income.

Mr. Howson declared it was not desirable to abolish homesteads at the present time. He admitted that the three-year residence clause had

prevented some people from settling in Alberta.

Premier Brownlee declared he failed to see any advantage in the leasehold system. He did not think they were violating Canadianism by the residence clause which was designed to enable the province to take care of its own distressed settlers in other parts of the province.

D. M. Duggan declared that the Conservatives did not favor homesteads, but for the present they would support the Government.

Another battle royal was staged on the resolution of Mr. Howson to restrict the powers of the Government in regard to guarantees. Mr. Howson hit on right and left at the administration policy, claiming they were assuming powers that no democratic government had a right to assume. He charged that they were able to pledge the credit of the province for years to come without consulting the accredited representatives of the people.

The government position was warmly defended by Premier Brownlee, who pointed out that only members of the administration were in a position to state what guarantees were really urgent.

Hon. Mr. McPherson denied a statement that the government was responsible for more than \$11,000,000 guarantees. Much of the amount previous governments were responsible for, he claimed.

Attorney-General Lymburn considered the resolution one of want of confidence in the government. It declared to the world that the government's hands were tied.

After the Conservatives had intimated their support of the motion, Mr. Howson again returned to the attack in closing the debate.

The fur flew once more when the bill to amend the provisions of the act came up for second reading. The purpose of the bill is to extend the power of the Lieutenant Governor in Council to raise by way of loan, any sum necessary to implement any guarantee given by the province.


The bill was at once challenged by G. H. Webster, Liberal leader, who moved that it be given a six months' hold. It was defeated by a vote of 39 to 17, Conservatives voting with the Liberals.

Mr. Webster declared the House was entitled to know what guarantees had to be made good and the necessity for making them good. He was not prepared to give the Government a blank check which was what the bill meant. Its previous financial record did not inspire confidence in the government. The Premier's promise should not be called upon to implement in 10 or 15 years something done now under blanket authority.

Mr. Webster was supported by W. R. Howson, Liberal, Edmonton, H. J. Montgomery, Liberal Wetaskiwin, F. I. H. Pomeroy, Liberal, Athabasca. They were opposed to government by order-in-council which they claimed would be the effect of granting what

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was asked for. For the Conservatives, W. E. Payne, Red Deer, declared the government had already gone a long way to impair the credit of the province by way of guarantees. He objected to giving wide powers to implement promises without the full consent of the Legislature.

Premier Brownlee stoutly defended the bill, pointing out that since 1925 there had been an act that gave similar powers to the government but counsel for banks in the east had claimed that this was not sufficient for their purpose. The need had been urged in connection with the Wheat Pool bill.

After considerable debate a resolution proposed by H. G. Pithing, Conservative, Calgary, to reduce the members of the Legislature from 63 to 45 was voted down by 47 to 9, Liberals and Labor voting with the government. The result also carried with it the rejection of any change in the present system of voting.

During the debate on Mr. Howson's motion regarding guarantees, D. M. Duggan, Conservative leader, clashed with the Premier. Mr. Duggan declared that Alberta's losses on advances and loans amounted to more than \$11,000,000, while taking into account intangible assets, the amount was \$24,000,000.

Taken altogether the week has been a strenuous and lively one for the members of the House. For instance, the Liberals have already bombarded the government with their questions. They were fired at them during the whole of the last session. They have also declared their intention of examining every bill, clause by clause, to prevent anything being "slipped" through. This session, they say, there is to be no more agreement to this or that without a thorough examination of just what is intended by the bill under discussion.

Back benchers, too, have intimated their intention of having their say on matters of importance to the public. They declare they are out to protect the taxpayers to the fullest extent of their power.

The Book of Alberta

Chapter I.

1. And it came to pass during the reign of Brownlee, that is called "John," that depression was about in the land and famine stalked among the people; and want was on the earth. Some blamed their rulers.

2. And the people in their need gathered together in the city that is called Edmonton and is the capital, and they sent out for the Governor and that is called John who came and listened to their murmurings and they were greatly perturbed.

3. For the people made many accusations and much threatening, so much so that John was greatly concerned and he called together his wise men and counsellors, even his cabinet and Henry the Wise who had placed him in authority.

4. And the counsellors and wise men said "Let us call together the Legislature and with much talk let us pass new legislation and draw the people's attention away from their troubles. Let us blame the tariffs, the war, the Dominion Government and Russia. Let us talk about currency and credits and memorandums. This will please the people."

5. But John was not satisfied and he called his ministers to him privately and asked each one what he had done to strengthen the hands of the Government.

6. And they answered each one for himself, with much fear and trembling.

7. And it came to pass that Hoadley, who is called George, being the oldest, answered first thus:

8. "Have I not been a faithful servant? Have I not levered the cost of living to the farmer and consumer? Even to eggs on the table to five cents per dozen. Pork and beef were never so cheap. Have I not taught the farmer to draw the manure spreader with a tractor? And have I not passed an act whereby those mayst sterilize their enemies so that

none come after them? Truly I have been a great success."

9. Then spake up Dick, who is the Minister of money, and he said: "Have I not increased the taxes and the people's burdens fourfold? Have I not borrowed all the money possible and sold many licenses?"

10. "Have I not stopped all speculation in Oil? Have I not increased the cost of every service in my department? Truly I have been a great success."

11. Then spake Mac, the road builder: "Have I not built many bridges and much road and improved the highways in order to increase the sale of autos?"

12. "Have I not covered the roads with loose gravel so that horses may not walk thereon? Have I not forced the farmers to go in debt for tractors?"

13. Then spake up Perrin, the Baker: "Have I not built schools and spread education until some of the people know too much?"

14. "Have I not caused to be made one thousand teachers without jobs and have I not seven hundred more coming out next summer, and do I not tell funny stories and tease the people to remove their phobias so they may have a success?"

15. Then spake Vernon, the Smith: "Have I not built telephone lines and raised the cost from \$18.00 to \$30.00? Have I not caused the farmers to remove their phobias so they may not waste their time communing together? Lo, I have built a line from Camrose to the place that is called Round Hill, a distance of 15 miles, and is it not true there is one phone on the line? Truly I am a success."

16. Then spake Lymburn, who is learned in the law: "Have I not increased the cost of every service in my Department? Have I not instituted many investigations at great ex-

pense to the people? Have I not worn out one police force and already arranged for another? Have I not assisted in passing many Acts? Some even surpassing the Acts of the Apostles? Have I not seven scores of resolutions awaiting us now to be passed in the present session? Truly I have been a great success."

17. And the Premier was greatly moved as he listed to his Attorney-General, for he himself was well learned in the law.

18. Then he called on his last advisor and in stern tones said: "Irene, what have you done?"

19. And Irene answered him with a smile: "Have I not been a nurse to your government? Have I not gone about the country pouring oil on the troubled waters keeping the farmers' wives interested in the work and spreading contentment? I have taught them organization and co-operation. I have spoken at many places."

20. "Lo, I have journeyed even unto Europe to intercede for the peace of the world, especially Alberta."

21. And it came to pass that after the Premier, that is called John, heard each of his ministers blow his own trumpet, that he was very wrath.

22. And he called them to him and said: "Behold thou art a bunch of weak sisters," for he greatly feared the opposition.

23. And now said he "What are we to do with those who oppose us and bear witness against us?"

24. Then spake up Hoadley, that is called George, and said: "Let us keep strict watch on the Tories, for I know them well. I have slept in their camp. They are bound to destroy us. They are in league with one Bennett who knows politics, and is blessed with great wealth, and his love for us is not great."

25. Then spake up Lymburn and said: "I also fear the Grits. They are after our scalps. They know where we are weak and they shoot straight."

26. Behold, there is one Howson, called Bill, and he has much ammunition, and is without fear. He has found favor among the people."

27. Then said Irene: "Master, have no fear of the third party. I have talked with them, and I have rubbed their backs with salve, that was given me by George."

28. And when moisture appears on their shoulders and foreheads I tell them it is sweat, they are labor men and they are greatly pleased and promise to vote with us."

29. Then said John: "Hearken unto me, I will answer for your departments. Irene hath wrought a great work and when Buckley, who is my teamster, shall appear with his whip, you shall each answer 'Aye, Aye,' and nothing further, for we must act with great caution, being wise as serpents."—Contributed.

TO PAY PREMIUM ON ALBERTA SEED FOR SASK. DROUGHT AREA

Premium over market will be paid in Alberta for a second 1,500,000 bushels of oats and barley of seed quality if it can be secured for the Saskatchewan relief commission, which required a total of 2,000,000 bushels of seed oats, and 1,000,000 bushels of barley.

A. E. Wilson, Regina, the manager, who visited the Dominion seed branch in Calgary to ascertain quantities of seed, said: "The seed as no seed can be taken unless it can be graded under the Dominion Seeds Act, says many parts of Alberta may participate in the movement."

Mr. Wilson states that shipment of



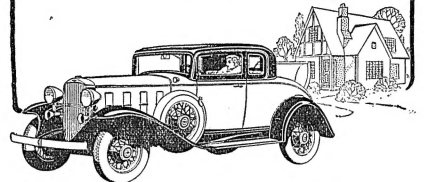
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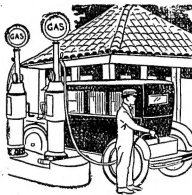
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Tariff on Raw Wool for Protection Home Growers

Wm. Irvine, member for Wetaskiwin, spoke in the Federal House a few days ago on the resolution: "That, in the opinion of this house, it is expedient that the government of the Dominion of Canada place a duty on raw wool that would reasonably protect the Canadian wool growers."

The Hansard report of Mr. Irvine's address is:

Mr. William Irvine (Wetaskiwin): I shall not take very much of the time of the house in speaking on this resolution. Indeed I must be careful, in speaking about it at all, to indicate that in this matter I am speaking only for myself and for the wool growers of Wetaskiwin. I shall not attempt to say that I am representing all the farmers of Alberta and that they are all in favor of this resolution, because I do not know whether they are or not.

It has been well understood throughout Canada for some time that farmers generally, and certainly those farmers who are sufficiently organized to speak with one voice, have been protesting against tariffs of all kinds. If there is any change in the minds of organized farmers to-day it has been brought about not so much by discouragement, having voted for so many years to reduce tariffs without obtaining any reduction of them. It may well be that they are now beginning to wonder whether or not they should change their tactics. They are beginning to turn their minds towards the other possibility, which is to obtain equal protection with others as an alternative to tariff reduction. I do not say that that opinion is general, but if there is any such opinion, that I imagine would be the interpretation of it.

It must be evident to everybody that there are at least two ways in which our agricultural population can be brought to a basis of equality with other classes in the country so far as tariffs are concerned. The first is that tariffs be reduced on all things which the agriculturists have to buy, thus bringing the agriculturist nearer to a basis of equality with the other classes. The second is to impose new tariffs or increase the present rates on everything which the agriculturists have to sell. One party in Canada has advocated the first, the former course, to reduce all tariffs, and thus place the agriculturists on a basis of equality with all the other classes in the state. Yet ever since Confederation we have had a very high protectionist tariff, sustained by both parties in Canada. The other party say that they are going to bring about equality by imposing tariffs on everything which the farmer has to sell, and so far as the carrying out of that policy is concerned I think the hon. gentleman who moved the resolution (Mr. Swanson) deserves some credit for asking the government to do what they stated would be their policy when seeking election. I also hope that when those who advocate free trade once again find themselves elected to support the government, they will not hesitate to do as the supporters of this resolution have done, and that is to come forward with a specific resolution urging the government under those conditions to bring about reductions in the tariff as they were elected to do.

May I say one other thing in that regard? The hon. member for South-east Grey (Miss Macphail) has just made a speech on this subject, and very properly she says that we are living in an interdependent world, and that tariffs cannot go on. That is true, but the curve of it is that the tariffs are going on.

Mr. Chaplin: It has been heard that talk for fifteen years.

Mr. Irvine: Yes, the only trouble is this interdependent world apparently does not know that it is interdependent, and the fact is that the tariffs do go on. I am not in this connection going to subscribe to any argument which might be brought up on the old battleground of tariff or no tariff, protection or free trade. I shall not subscribe to or associate myself with fanatical on either side of the question, and we have that on both sides of the house, undoubtedly. On the contrary, I want to point out, as has often been done, that we are dealing not with a theory involving free trade or protection, or whether the world would be better off under the one policy or the other, but with this one fact, that the wool producers in Canada have to buy innumerable articles which are protected and which are increased in price by protection, while the commodities which they are engaged in producing have to be sold on the markets of the world without any protection, thus placing them at a disadvantage as compared with the other classes in Canada with whom they must deal. That is a practical proposition, and I am speaking of it now for the reason

that I have received wires and letters from people in my riding urging me to support this very resolution. I have had wires also from the wool growers' association, and innumerable letters from individuals. I am going to head a section from one letter which I think will place before the house better than I can at the viewpoint of the wool grower, and that policy be felt about all I want to say in connection with the matter.

Mr. Hepburn: I do not think the hon. member has said very much yet, anyway.

Mr. Irvine: My hon. friend has been so busy leading the forces of reaction that I am not sure of the result so that I question whether he is capable of passing judgment on a matter of that kind. Further, when my hon. friend himself says something, either here or anywhere else, he will be in a better position to judge whether other people say anything or not.

In quoting a section of this letter may I say to my hon. friend who has just interrupted (Mr. Hepburn) that I am carrying out a principle to which I have always subscribed, and that is my task is to say from this seat what the people I represent want me to say. That is perhaps too democratic for my hon. friend, but that is what I am trying to do now, and I will leave the matter to the judgment of the house. This writer says:

"We have absolutely no protection on our raw wool but pay a pretty stiff duty on woolen goods. Under ordinary conditions I am not an advocate of protective duties, but as Canada for the present at any rate has determined on a protectionist policy I think that farmers in all fairness should get whatever benefit we can out of that policy. I am speaking not only for myself but also for a large number of your constituents, who, like myself, would very much appreciate your best efforts to have this matter right." "That Mr. Speaker I think puts in a few words the position of the wool growers and what they are asking in this resolution. I would like to suggest to the government that if they carry out this resolution it may be necessary to do a little more than that. We are aware of the fact which the hon. member for South-east Grey has mentioned, that protection does cease to have any value to agriculture at that point where the prices paid at home are determined by the export price. That is true; it has been true in regard to butter to a very large extent, and it is true; it has been true in regard to any other commodity which may be similarly dealt with. It may be necessary in regard to the farmers who have received protection on butter, wool or other products, for the government to go a little further than imposing a tariff which is only nominal, and make such tariff real by adopting some such methods as have been adopted in New Zealand Australia where export bounties have been created to control from one common centre the export market and to maintain the home price at an economic level, the board having power to issue the necessary regulations. What I would call the economic level is the price at which the wool producer to continue to produce under all the given economic conditions.

I hope Mr. Speaker that the government will take into consideration not only the wool growers but also the dairy interests and other sections of agriculture which may be benefited by protective measures. I am not advocating either of the old philosophies of protection or free trade, but I do advocate equality—and may I repeat this—equality of the classes in Canada, so far as legislation affecting their economic life is concerned, so that those who buy protected goods may receive protection equal to those who sell protected goods. If this cannot be done, some other means will have to be considered whereby such equality may be effected. I hope the wool growers will receive the consideration at the hands of the government outlined by the resolution.

On Wednesday evening, Feb. 24th, Verdun school was crowded to capacity for the debate between Gwynne and the home local, Gwynne, which supported the affirmative of the subject "Resolved that in the activities of the League of Nations lies the world's hope of peace," were awarded the verdict by a judge's vote of 2 to 1, after a very close and interesting debate.

Schedules of debates for March 4th: 21st—Gwynne vs. Verdun at Rosebank school. Subject: "Resolved that the Russian Five Year Plan is a justifiable experiment." 22nd—Malmoe vs. Nashville, at Malmoe. Subject: "Resolved that as long as Canada retains a protective tariff all agricultural products should be housed." 23rd—Lone Ridge vs. Hillside, at Hillside. Subject: "Resolved that it would be in the best interests of the people of Alberta that the U.P.A. as an organization should withdraw from politics." 24th—Coal Lake vs. Haultain, at Coal Lake hall. Subject: "Resolved that the telephone system of Alberta should be put upon a sound basis by the imposition of a franchise tax upon all land adjacent to rural lines."

LONE RIDGE U.F.A.

The regular monthly meeting of the above Local will be held on Tuesday, March 8th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Schell at 8 p.m. Everyone heartily welcomed. Ladies please bring lunch.

The regular meeting of the Lone Ridge Junior U.F.A. was held at the home of Leonard Robinson on February 24th.

During the course of the business meeting the proposed Junior U.F.A. Debating League was discussed, and this local decided to enter.

At the conclusion of the business these humorous readings were given by R. Cummings, E. T. Caldwell and L. Robinson. The rest of the evening was spent in singing and various entertainment.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Sproule on March 16th, at 8:30 p.m.

BULVEA SCHOOL REPORT

Grade IX.

Ruth Stelter	74.28
Susie Ochs	71.57
Ruth Beyer	69.91
Lucy Kasur	46.71
Martha Kasur	38.27
Mamie Genz—Unclassified.	

Grade VII.

Elizabeth Rudy	74.99
Katie Ochs	74.08
Vera Einsinger	71.99
Rosa Ochs	61.42
Doris Armstrong	58.99
Harold Hoyle	53
Blanche Revis—Unclassified.	

Grade VI.

Marion Genz	70.1
Mary Ochs	68.3
Robert Rhodes	50.2
Bernard Genz	46.3

Grade V.

Donald Short	73.9
Esther Stelter	73.7
Anna Einsinger	66.2
Hertie Dewald	66.9
Jeann Short	69.8
Ernest Stelter	60
Dorothy Hillgardner	54.2
Lydia Dewald	39.9

Grade IV.

Hilda Einsinger	81.5
Florence Revis—Unclassified.	

Grade III.

Melvin Erickson—Unclassified.	
Edna Revis—Unclassified.	

Grade II.

Donald Berry	88
Ruth Michael Greer	87.12
Alex Rudy	85.82
Otto Dewald	73.43
Mary Hoyle	72
Lawrence Hillgardner	71.12
Eleanor Stelter	70.62
Bernard Hillgardner	70.25
Engene Greene	63.5
Olga David	61.89
Emil Erickson—Unclassified.	

Grade I.

Gordon Genz—Unclassified.	
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C. D. WILLIAMSON, Teacher.

ROSELAND SCHOOL REPORT

Grade I. (In order of merit): Cecil Turnquist, Lois Maynard.

Grade II.

Robert Doel	92
Reta Doel	86
Lorraine Johnson	84
Cornelius Edings	82
Robert Roth	79.5
Ernest Larson	78

Grade III.

John Maynard	67
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Grade IV.

Kenneth Larson	78
Alvin Johnson	76
Olaf Ehning	72
Orlene Roth	70

Grade V.

Ina Williams	65
Helen Baker	63
Orville Larson	62

Grade VI.

Robert Ochener	68
Ruby Doel	63

Grade VIII.

Harold Doel	63
Winifred Gray	58
Margaret Strom	53

Grade IX.

Herbert Johnson	53
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Grade X.

Hornes Gray	70
Mabel Johnson	57

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Neighborhood NEWS

TOWNLAKE

If being election time in this district, residents of Townlake have been very popular with the candidates for Councillor. Johnson was re-elected on Saturday with a comfortable majority.

Clifford Skogman returned home from Jasper early last week.

Many Townlakers attended the U. P. A. dance at Drader's mill Saturday evening, enjoying themselves as usual.

Miss Devida Drader has been engaged as teacher of the new Poplar Valley school, which is to open on March 1st.

WESTEROSE

Owing to the nice weather we will have to practice swimming instead of hockey.

Fishing at Pigeon Lake is slim these days. Whitefish seem to need water waves to attract them.

Last Saturday night Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stone entertained at five tables of "500." Mr. and Mrs. Drader were winners of first prize and the hoolies went to Mrs. A. Sundquist and Mr. E. Sundquist. At midnight a dainty lunch was served by Mrs. Stone and daughters. A very good time was enjoyed by all.

BATTLE LAKE

A baby boy arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bashard on Feb. 22nd. Mother and baby both doing well.

Lumber hauling by team is at a standstill on account of the bad roads.

Mr. Fullerton spent the week-end at Edmonton, combining business with pleasure.

Mrs. Roy Hunter and children have been quite ill with flu.

Phyllis and Jean Fullerton spent the week-end in Edmonton, guests of Miss May and Mr. Aubrey Fullerton.

Miss Daisy Wood, who has been re-elected as Councillor by a large majority in the election held last Saturday in Divisions 3 and 6, in Mun. Dist. of Columbia.

Fred Papineau is building a new house on his place north of Rimney's.

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Mr. Robinson, supt. of the Alberta Wheat Pool, was a business visitor on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lomas are being congratulated on the arrival of a baby boy.

S. Morita is slowly getting his implements moved to his new farm, but owing to road conditions, it has been a trying job.

There is a great demand for horses in this district this spring. The farmers are buying more of them and paying good prices.

NEW SWEDEN

M. and Mrs. Norman Doupe entertained at bridge on Monday evening in honor of Mrs. M. Doupe's birthday. The evening was pleasantly spent and a very dainty dainty lunch was served by the hostess. First prizes went to Mr. E. Switzer and Ms. B. Reckie. The consolation prizes went to Phyllis Walstra and C. Krutefeldt.

The Mission Ladies' Aid met at the home of Mrs. E. Johnson last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ohman motored up from Hawit on Tuesday to attend the funeral.

"Curly" Johns met with an accident last week while sawing wood, which might have proved fatal. His coat froze to the saw mandrel and began drawing him into the saw. Alvin Nelles grabbed the saw blade to retard its speed, while Dale Johns shut off the engine. His clothing was cut off on one side and his arm injured, but he seems none the worse for it.

Reuben Pearson came down from Edmonton to attend his grandmother's funeral.

GWYNNE

The dance at Crooked Lake school last Tuesday night was attended by a large crowd.

The February meeting of the Gwynne Sunshower Club was held at A. Rupers' last Friday with quite a few of the members present. The next meeting will be held at W. E. Harris' March 25th.

Quite a crowd enjoyed the dance here last Friday.

The U.P.A. meeting will be held at Bert Peters' on Saturday, March 5th. This will be a social evening.

A card party was held at W. J. Gillespie's last Saturday night, Court whist, being played. The honors

went to Mrs. F. Freeman and C. Maynard, and consolation to Reg. Mason, who played as a lady, and Gordon Carlson.

Mrs. W. J. Gillespie left for Daysland Monday morning to spend a few days visiting relatives.

A number of young people enjoyed a coming party at H. V. Lofgren's on Saturday evening.

Quite a number enjoyed the card party at Alex Edlund's last Saturday.

Jodie Freeman and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Jevne went to Blackfalds on Friday evening to an old timer's fiddle contest. Mr. Jevne won the first prize.

We are glad to report that Little Norma Carlson is recovering from her recent illness.

Jim and his uncle, Jack Inglis, spent the week-end at R. H. Inglis.

Mrs. Elmer Maynard and baby daughter returned to her home on Saturday.

A party was held at Clarence Mayard's Saturday night in honor of the newly-weds, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Maynard.

Harry Christensen arrived here from Iowa last week, and intends to settle on a farm north of here with his brother Pete.

WINFIELD

The snowstorm beginning yesterday and continuing this morning, will no doubt, be very welcome to those who have not yet finished their hauling.

Mr. and Mrs. Balbaste left Sunday for their home in Buck Creek, Mrs. Balbaste having been a guest in the village for a week. Numerous teas, dinners, etc., having been arranged in her honor.

Miss Richarda Husband is now up and around again, after quite a severe attack of flu.

Mrs. Payne of Botha, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Husband for the past week, returned to her home Friday.

Much interest was shown in the election of a Councillor for Div. 3 of Columbia M.D., which took place in Seattle school, Saturday, Feb. 27th.

The results were as follows: Enoch Johnson, 35; John S. Stone, 27; Alva Platz, 18; Albert Penley, 14. This is Mr. Johnson's third term as Councillor for this Division.

Ragnar Nordlund has returned from a winter spent in Antross.

School started today in Poplar Valley. We extend best wishes to the new district and its charming young teacher, Miss Devida Drader.

GWYNNE SCHOOL REPORT

Grade I. (In order of merit):—Edward Tusti, Delma Carlson, Bernice Holtner, Helen Rehaume, Rose Marie Johnson.

Grade II.

Evelyn Womack	95.5
Gilbert Tusti	64.67
Milton Carlson	44.67

Grade II-A.

Ralph Hay	97
Margaret Hay	94.5
Doris Hilgarter	80
Mary Walstra	74
Alice Holtner	48.33

Grade III.

Lloyd Hilgarter	89
Irene Holtner	69.25
Lloyd Walstra	62.42

Grade IV.

Olivia Hilgarter	76
Florence Walstra	71

Grade V.

Walter Carlson	64.87
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Grade VI.

Raymond Girard	90.31
Anna Pelley	78.69
Roy Hilgarter	79
Lillian Walstra	62.13

Grade VII.

Clifford Johnson	77.78
Lyle Womack	65.15

Grade VIII.

Lila Hilgarter	59.3
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Grade IX.

Viola Carlson	90.91
Lucille Womack	79.75
Gordon Carlson	73.66
Alma Newman	72.16
Betty Rupertus	50.75

Grade X. (partial)

Agnes Johnson	86.75
Ben Womack	79.38

ESTHER MEYER, Teacher.

WINFIELD U. F. A.

Another successful dance was held by the U.P.A. this time at Drader's mill, Saturday of last week. A jolly crowd attended and all had a glorious time. The mill boys had gone to a great deal of trouble arranging for the dance and should be well repaid for their trouble by the enjoyment of the people present. By an ingenious arrangement of the electric lights the hall was flooded with red light for a moonlight waltz. At supper time vocal solos, instrumental music and song dancing afforded an excellent entertainment, one of the boys, Geo. Arsenault, doing a hat trick which caused much merriment.

The regular business meeting of Winfield U.P.A. will be held Saturday, March 5th, at Drader's mill. Several short talks will be given. After the meeting the evening will

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One of our citizens suffered a serious loss Wednesday of last week. When all members were absent from the house, the home of S. Carter was burned to the ground. A heavy wind was blowing, and when Archie Donald, who was the first to see the fire, arrived, the fire had advanced to such a state that nothing could be saved. This is the second serious fire Mr. Carter has had within a short time. Mr. Carter is postmaster at Winfield. What started the fire is not known.

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WEEKLY STOCK MARKET REPORT

The following is a weekly report from the Edmonton Stock Yards for the week ending March 1st:

Receipts: Cattle, 412; Calves, 118; Hogs, 1789; Sheep, 306.

The quality of this week's arrivals showed some improvement. In consequence buyers operated quite freely, which gave salesmen an opportunity of making a good daily clean-up. Prices so far this week as a whole are showing a stronger tone and are about 25c per hundred higher for the week, with buyers easier in their grading, which is helping materially in making ready clearances. The following are the prices:

Good to choice fed calves selling at \$5.00 to \$5.50, mediums \$4.00 to \$4.75. The general run of good butcher steers \$4.50 to \$4.75, really choice would bring a little more, mediums \$4.00 to \$4.25 and common to fair at \$3.75. Good heavyweight butchers \$4.50 to \$4.75, mediums \$4.00 to \$4.25, good heavies \$3.75 to \$4.00 and common to fair kids \$2.50 to \$3.50. Good to choice butcher cows \$3.00 to \$3.50, common to mediums \$2.00 to \$2.75, canners and cutters \$1.00 to \$1.75, and bulls \$2.00 to \$2.75.

There is a fair demand in evidence for stocker cattle, but very few arrivals. The general run of stocker steers and heifers selling at \$3.25 to \$4.00, odd choice lightweight steers up to \$4.15, stocker cows from \$2.50 to \$2.75.

Calf market fully steady, good to choice kids \$6.00 to \$7.00, common to medium from \$4.00 to \$5.50. Hog market unsettled, tending lower. So far this week only one carload. This sold at \$3.75 for the bacon, fed and weaned. Trueweight hogs at \$3.60 for the bacon. Soleats bringing a premium of 50c per hundred and butchers discounted 50c per hundred. Cuts on the off grade hogs remain the same. Heavies discounted 75c per hundred, extra heavies 75c per hundred, No. 1 sows discounted 75c per hundred, No. 2 sows discounted \$1.00 per hundred, roughs discounted \$1.25 per hundred, stage discounted \$2.00 per hundred.

Considering the quality of lamb and shear offerings, the market remains fairly steady, the general run of lambs selling at \$4.00 to \$5.00, choice light ones would bring a little more, yearlings \$3.50 to \$4.00 and ewes \$2.50 to \$3.50.

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"The Treasurer shall before the first day of April forward the list to the Land Titles Office.

"Immediately upon the receipt of the tax arrears list, the Registrar shall place upon the certificate of title of each parcel a notification that the parcel is subject to the provisions of The Tax Recovery Act."

As the Registrar has to be paid for his share in the above transaction, charges have to be made on each parcel so reported, and these charges recovered from the parcel concerned.

GODFREY BAKER, Treasurer. 50-3t

NOTICE

Public notice is hereby given that the contractors Commercial Carriage Co., of the road contract between Pigeon Lake and Wetaskiwin, will not be responsible for any debts or accounts with local tradesmen unless an order is accompanied with a written authorization signed by a company official.

(Signed) ALBERT CARLSON, Wetaskiwin, this 20th day of February, 1932. 49-3t

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HELLO, THE NORTH

Pearl Mitchell fingered the dial on her radio and presently the words came distinctly: "Hello, the North! Homeowners in the Peace River district, Athabasca Landing, Fort Vermilion, listen in."

The radio treat which Pearl enjoyed most of all was when the broadcasting station at Edmonton hushed all other sounds and sent out items of news to the scattered settlers of the immense North, to the isolated valleys of the foothills of the Rockies, and even to the fur posts up along the great, silent frozen Mackenzie River.

In this way the people learned the movements of the fur runners, the achievements of the mounted police, and lost, strayed or stolen cattle.

This evening Pearl was jolted out of her complacency by hearing her own settlement called. "Hello, the North! Peace River. Leaving the notice! Five well-bred cattle, Ayrshires, are lost in Spring Coulee. They have floundered into deep snow. Alive when last seen, but should receive immediate attention."

"You must be Pierre Casaubon's heifer!" exclaimed Pearl.

"How do you know?" asked her brother, John.

"Why, there are no Ayrshires around here except those Mr. Casaubon brought in with him. He favors them and thinks they should be introduced into the Peace River country."

"Did he ever open his mouth to tell you all that?" laughed Mr. Mitchell, looking up from a newspaper which was a week old.

"No," admitted Pearl, "but a couple of weeks ago, when the cat he was around, I heard him ask Mr. Casaubon if his young stock was for sale, and Casaubon told me no butcher's money could buy them."

"Such a man!" exclaimed Pearl's mother. "He gets angry at nothing at all!"

The radio continued to pour forth news items and the older members of the family sat around the fire until nearly midnight, discussing the various programs they had heard. In Pearl's mind, however, lingered the thought of Casaubon's cattle.

After an uneasy sleep she rose early and sought her father. "Daddy, would you mind if I took Scout and rode down to Spring Coulee to see about those heifers? John will go with me. Nothing can happen, for the snowstorm is over and it's going to be a beautiful day."

"Casaubon doesn't deserve any neighborly consideration at our hands," replied Mr. Mitchell, thinking of certain despicable acts on the part of the sullen French-Canadian, who had settled in their midst.

"But I can't help thinking that something has gone wrong up there," worried Pearl. "I haven't seen any stir around the place for three or four days. Last Monday I saw Mr. Casaubon go limping home and I wondered if he had hurt himself."

"Well, go and look after the cattle if you can find them," Mitchell consented more generously.

"I do it for Marie's sake," exclaimed Pearl. "It's a shame the way that surly Frenchman keeps his daughter at home, refusing to let her mingle with the rest of us."

Half an hour later Pearl saddled Scout, the broncho, and rode out of the yard, followed by John on a smaller mount. Spring Coulee was four miles away, but the bracing air made outdoor exercise a joy. The only hindrance was the depth of snow on the trail.

After a little persuasion, John reluctantly turned back and Pearl made her way down the face of the ridge. Soon she noticed a horseman approaching the cattle from the opposite direction. He reined up before she did; he tried to drive them into a train that led directly away from home. Closer inspection showed her that the fellow was James Muldoon, a shiftless young neighbor. "What are you doing with Casaubon's cattle?" she asked.

"What makes you think that these cattle belong to Casaubon?" "Because they are the only Ayrshires up here, and besides, I know the brand, a lazy C bar."

"To, no!" laughed Muldoon. "You're more than well informed if you think that Casaubon has the only Ayrshires in this country."

"What do you intend to do with them?" "Sell them to the buyer, of course!"

Pearl felt that a great injustice against Casaubon was about to be committed. She was staunch in her belief that she knew the cattle, though James Muldoon said they belonged to a homeowner five miles away who had entrusted him with the task of bringing them home.

She knew that Muldoon was a wild youth, who wanted enough money to take him on a tour of adventure although he was too lazy to earn it. "You had better not drive them away, Jim Muldoon! Don't think that you can get away with such a trick! My father will be here soon to help me!"

For reply the boy struck the heifers and startled them in a blind panic. Contrary to his expectations, however, the animals stampeded in the opposite direction, coming toward Pearl.

The girl saw her chance. Wheeling Scout about, she circled behind them.

Furious, James Muldoon gave pursuit, causing the cattle to plunge forward wildly. Again they took an unexpected turn and ran up on a narrow ledge along the side of the ravine where there was scarcely room for them to stand.

Pearl urged Scout after them. Crash! An avalanche of snow slid down behind her. Stones, too, fell. It seemed that half the hillside had broken away. The equilibrium of the rocks had been disturbed by the weight of the animals. Looking fearfully backward, Pearl saw that an impassable barrier of rocks and snow separated them from Muldoon. She, on Scout's back, was pressed against the frightened heifers. The sheer face of the cliff lay ahead. With the least plunging or panic, all would be precipitated into the snow-filled gulch below. She prayed for the arrival of her father, but some other came to her aid. He was none other than her tormentor, James Muldoon.

"Be steady, Pearl!" he called. "Hold on! I can save you! I'll try to find a path into this gulch and up to your side of the cliff." She held her breath as she saw him prepare for the attempt. His horse balked on the verge, then, under the influence of the spur, took the leap. Immediately animal and rider sank out of sight in the feathery whiteness.

Oh, the joy of seeing her father round the curve on his stout horse! After he came kindhearted John, with a bag of grain slung across his pommel. He planned to feed the heifers, lest they be too weak to walk home.

Mr. Mitchell carried a long rope which was thrown to James Muldoon as soon as his arm came up through the snow. The boy's horse had reared its head to the air, and now sat on its haunches, unable to extricate itself. Finally it floundered out, and the men broke a trail up the side of the gulch to the ledge where Pearl was trapped.

With presence of mind, she kept the frightened animals from plunging to destruction, until one after another was taken off with the aid of the rope. Lastly Pearl and Scout came to safety below.

As each starving creature received a portion of grain to give it strength to walk home, James acknowledged his wrong.

"Of course the cattle belong to Casaubon. I'm glad you came along when you did, for I was horribly tempted. It looked like quick money to drive them away to the buyer."

"Now the next difficulty is getting the animals home," put in Mr. Mitchell, with a matter-of-fact. This tended to clear the atmosphere and put all at ease.

"Who'll go ahead and tell the Casaubons," asked James.

"Not I!" cried John.

"Nor I!" shivered Pearl. "They keep a wolfish dog."

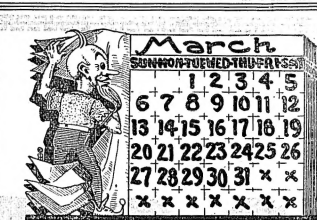
"That's part of their neighborly equipment," commented Mr. Mitchell, dryly. "Really, I can't understand Casaubon. For downright selfishness he beats any neighbors I have ever lived beside."

"I have it!" exclaimed Pearl. "Friday afternoon Marie comes down to the store for groceries. I'll meet her there and tell her she must help us drive the cattle home. I'll tell her none of us care to face that dog."

Accordingly the cattle were penned in Mr. Mitchell's barnyard and Pearl met Marie at the store as arranged. "Oh, I can't come down!" cried Marie, in distress.

"You must," insisted Pearl. "We have done our best to save your cattle and can't now show enough interest to drive them home."

"My father has been so sick that it has driven the thought of the cattle from my head," replied Marie, biting her lips. "He fell from a tree on Monday."



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will feel much better for walking home."

The others could see that it pelted Marie into a panic to cross the threshold. Marie Mitchell was at the table. The dinner music was on the table. The dinner music was on the table. The dinner music was on the table.

"Now, here comes what we want!" exclaimed Mrs. Mitchell. "The news item!"

"It's wonderful, isn't it?" asked Pearl.

Marie looked frozen. "Father says there is no privacy any more. No matter where you go you are in the limelight."

A long list of news came in. Presently this one: "Robert Fitch, of McLeod, holds the record for the best yield of oats in the Peace River district with fifteen hundred bushels."

"Hurrah!" cried Mr. Mitchell. Turning, he saw Marie Casaubon fall in her chair.

"But he died!" she whispered. "Robert Fitch died!"

"Indeed he didn't!" declared Mr. Mitchell. "He is one of the prosperous farmers around McLeod."

Marie broke into weak sobbing. Pearl put her arm about her. "Tell us, Marie," she urged. "You live under some terrible strain. It can't go on like this any longer."

"No, that is true," admitted Marie. "Father always expected that the law would find him. I think it will be a relief if it does."

"Law?" questioned Pearl. "Does he think he has done something for which he should be punished?"

"He doesn't think, he knows. He is the man who in a quarrel struck Robert Fitch in Lanier's mining camp!"

"I don't think that he even received the blow," put in Mr. Mitchell. "And there is no doubt that the Robert Fitch I know is the same man. He was once a rough miner, but has since made good on his quarter section up at McLeod."

The girl leaned on Pearl for support. The good news was overwhelming. "My father was in such a passion that he never really knew what happened," she continued.

"How long ago is that, my girl?" asked Mr. Mitchell, deeply and sorrowfully impressed. "Three years? Ah, what he must have suffered from his conscience in that time! No wonder he grew morose. Tell him there is no one pursuing him. If he will keep himself, he has every chance to make good here."

"Do you still dislike radios?" Pearl asked Marie, and smiled at

her neighbor's vigorous dissent.

"Oh, Marie, does it mean that you will be able to visit us now, and to join in with the other young people of the neighborhood?"

"Yes," avowed Marie, drying her eyes. "I shall start from this day to try to get even with you for your acts of neighborly kindness."

The group turned to meet John who came in from the stables. "The heifers have finished eating," he announced. "They have stopped trampling, so I guess they're all right."

Marie Casaubon put her hand on the boy's shoulder. "Ah, the Mitchell family," she said softly. "I spoke boastfully when I said that I should come out even with them!"

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CAMPBELL ENDS SPEED TRIALS; FIVE MARKS SET

Daytona Beach, Fla., Feb. 27.—After making new world's land speed records for five distances, Sir Malcolm Campbell, British sportsman, decided Saturday to attempt no further trials this year and said he would ship his 12-cylinder Bluebird racing car back to England immediately. Conditions for further runs were not satisfactory Saturday.

Though Sir Malcolm during his present visit to Florida has established new world marks for the one mile, one kilometre, five kilometres, five miles and ten kilometres, he is not satisfied. The speed king believes his car is still capable of reaching 285 miles an hour.

The Times invites the cooperation of residents of the country districts. Correspondents from districts not now represented in this paper are requested to write in for correspondence paper and particulars.

Post office revenues for 1931 show little change over previous years.

Dr. Wood's Contracted Bad Cold Left Awful Cough

Mrs. Elmer Patterson, R.R. 2, Pictou, N.S., writes: "I contracted a bad cold that left me with an awful cough."

For nights I never put my head on a pillow, and was often afraid I would choke to death. I had tried all sorts of medicine and was in despair until a friend advised me to get Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, which I did, and I had only taken a few doses when I got some relief, and after taking three bottles my cough had entirely disappeared."

Price 35c a bottle; large family size 65c, at all drug and general stores; put up only by The T. Millburn Co., Ltd., Toronto, Ont.

Norway Pine Syrup

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So he said to himself, said he: "Now I'll just take one out at a time away from that horse. He'll certainly never miss one little out, and by taking one little out at a time, he will eventually learn to live on nothing."

In due season, as the oats disappeared one by one, the horse grew thinner and finally died.

A car from which the "oats" of care are slowly taken away will just as surely become a thin horse. When a small supply part breaks or the motor develops a periodical stutter take heed—have it cared for. "Attention in time saves a lot of grief."

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the year 1932 is not going to dump any sudden wealth into your lap!

THOSE WHO MAKE MONEY from business in 1932 are going to **EARN IT**--not by playing a hunch, not by following tips, and not by sitting tight. To make money in 1932 **YOU HAVE GOT TO SELL MERCHANDISE.** And you've got to sell a lot of it. That's another fact!

Selling will NOT be easy. But the present year can be a GOOD year for you; a PROFITABLE year; a year of PROGRESS. But it's going to take some STRAIGHT-FROM-THE-SHOULDER selling!

WE'VE GOT TO HIT THE LINE HARD!! It doesn't take the seventh son of a seventh son to figure out that business is not coming without **REAL** effort. But there is always some business for those who have the energy and courage to **GO AFTER IT!** This is old stuff—but **TRUE** as **HOLY WRIT.**



More and more people are coming to regulate their shopping by the store ads. More and more people are getting out of the habit of going to "the nearest place" or the place they have usually visited for certain purchases.

More and more people are coming to decide things from reading the ads.—and depend upon the news and the facts contained in the ads. for guidance in planning purchases.

More the coming months than ever before will your advertising be the test by which all else shall stand or fall—so plan it liberally, plan it on winning lines.

The people of the extensive district in which The Times circulates cannot be as effectively or as economically reached by any other medium or method of advertising as by the columns of this paper.

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The Household Word For Tea

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(Written for The Times by a practical gardener of long experience).

Protection Needed Now

This is really the critical time for those wintering plants like fruit trees, strawberries, herbaceous perennial flowers, roses and shrubbery, just as it is for fall wheat and clover. During the middle of the day the sun, which is getting warmer, is quite likely to take the frost out of the top layer of the soil and start the sap coming up through the stems above ground. A few hours later, when the temperature falls at night, this sap may freeze with very serious results to the plants concerned. The alternate thawing and freezing of the top soil too is quite likely to break the tiny feeding roots. To prevent this sort of thing, mulch with coarse, strawy manure, leaves or other material, particularly if Nature has not provided her own protecting against this potential spring damage that we should plant very tender things in a north exposure rather than one open to the full rays of the sun in early spring.

A Hot Bed

A hot bed will be found very useful, especially in those sections of Canada where the growing season is short, and it is not always possible to get a supply of started plants. With this simple contrivance we bring our flowers into bloom and our vegetables into production from two to four weeks sooner than if started from seed outdoors, and the cost is very small. We may construct our hot bed entirely above ground by providing a wooden frame two feet high and the same size as the window sash we are going to use to cover it. Or, we may simply dig a hole in the ground in some well drained place, two feet deep and the other dimensions the same as the window frame. Into this we put about eighteen inches of fresh horse manure, which has previously been turned fairly frequently to prevent burning, and this is well pressed down. The duty of the manure is simply to provide heat, so if we cannot secure it we may use a hot water pipe, if that can be arranged, as a substitute. Next, put in a two inch layer of fine rich loam and allow the bed to heat up under the glass cover, which should slope towards the south to catch the full rays of the sun, and also to allow any rain to run off. In about a week the heating will subside and the seeds may be planted in rows about an inch apart. In watering, at first, it is well to spread a coarse bit of

cloth, and old sack will answer admirably over the soil and sprinkle this. When the plants begin to send out their second set of leaves, transplant once in order to give room and encourage sturdiness. On warm days it will be well to raise the glass sash a little and as the plants near the size and time for setting outdoors, transplant again to a cold frame, which is a hot bed without the heating manure, and harden off thoroughly before removal to permanent quarters in the garden. One can also start plants in workbox boxes in warm, sunny window, following the same general directions with regard to thinning and hardening. In the hot bed or sunny window such vegetables as cabbage, tomatoes, head lettuce, peppers and eggplant can be given a start, and also flowers like zinnias, cosmos, marigolds, asters, petunias, in fact anything that will transplant. In this, too, one can grow early lettuce, radish and cress which can be used directly out of the hot bed.

Perennials Benefit by Moving

It is rather a good rule to move perennial flowers into new quarters every three or four years. Such things as the iris develop into unwieldy clumps and often die in the centre if left in the same place too long, while deep-rooted plants like the Delphinium seem to use up all the available nourishment and become weak growers after four or five years. By digging up, dividing with a sharp spade, and removing to fresh quarters we have an opportunity too, of waging successful war against the weeds in the perennial bed, and of also introducing a good commercial fertilizer. In the writers' garden a portion of the perennial bed is dug up and entirely replanted each season. The best time to do this work is either in the early spring, as soon as the ground can be worked, or else September or October. At both periods most perennials can be moved with the least danger. During the first year of the new portion of the bed, one may fill in here and there with a few annuals like asters, petunias, alums, marigolds or cosmos, but these should not be used from the second season on. Do not plant your perennials too closely, remembering that the plant should have half as much room between it and its neighbor as it is high. Plenty of space allows easy cultivation and results in strong, branching growth, which will stand up better against wind and rain.

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THE MILLET PAGE

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Telephone to, or leave all items for this page, as well as advertisements, & all orders for commercial printing. Phone all news to Millet Central. Post news to Mrs. JOHN MAINE, Times Correspondent, Gen. Del. Millet

MILLET LOCAL NEWS

Mr. Gus. Gross of Puyallup, Wash., was a Millet visitor last Wednesday.

Mrs. James Redman spent the week-end the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Briggs at Briggs' Cafe.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Wolfe, who have been spending the winter at Breton, have returned to their home in the village.

Mr. Melbourn of Bonnyville, has been a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Moen and Mr. J. West during the past week.

A number of Millettites attended the annual "At Home" of the Board of Trade held at the Driford hotel on Wednesday of last week. All report having enjoyed the evening very much.

A pleasant evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Scott on Friday night of last week, when the Rebekahs held one of their famous card parties. The weather was just perfect and a large crowd turned out.

Miss Ruth Wright entertained nine boys of the village on Sunday at dinner in honor of Ralph's birthday, Feb. 29th. The day was spent in true boy fashion, and all the boys expressed their regrets that Ralph has only one birthday in four years.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Brinker entertained a few friends on the evening of Feb. 23rd. The evening was spent in music and games. Misses Clara Kinchella, Marie Scott and Marie Moonen served a delicious lunch at midnight, when the party broke up to walk home in the snow and the moonlight.

When Joe Day went to feed his pigs on Sunday morning, he found that some unknown party had butchered a fine registered Tamworth sow in his pen during the night. This sow was a prize winner at the Edmonton Exposition last year. Up to the time of writing, no clue to the culprit has been found.

Rev. J. K. Smith of the British and Foreign Bible Society, gave a lantern lecture at the United church on Monday evening, which was well attended. After the lecture a local branch was formed with Miss Jaques as leader, Misses Ruth Rowley, Irene Kent, Gweneth Clark and Molly Moore as assistants.

MILLET W.I.

The W.I. spent a pleasant afternoon recently at the home of Mrs. R. Cohen when a sing-song was enjoyed and sewing was given out. A tea social and sewing sale will be given on Easter Sunday to aid the Canadian National Institute for the Blind. 15 members took out talent money to aid this worthy cause. A delicious lunch was served by the hostess and Mrs. Phillips. The next meeting will be in April, joint with Messademes Stanley, Wright and Roop. Roll call will be a recipe using all Canadian products. Mrs. Roop will discuss "Canadian Industries," while Messademes Von Arx and Lee will give a short talk on "Current Events." All cordially invited.

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A romance of modern business that should be an inspiration to every small store-keeper was told to newspaper men Friday by Mr. C. E. Edmonds, President of Christie, Brown and Company, Limited, who is completing his fifty-sixth year of service with the company.

The giant biscuit company was started in a small store on Yonge Street, Toronto, by two men with a working capital of probably not more than \$500. Today the business they founded is capitalized at millions of dollars and is the largest industry of its type in Canada. It has two manufacturing plants in the East, another — the million dollar Winnipeg plant opened last week — in the West and thirteen distributing branches in the west and south. From that point the business has never looked back until today Christie Biscuits are known round the world. The original store in Toronto has been replaced by three factories — one occupying nearly a whole downtown block in Toronto, the second Toronto factory occupying many thousands of square feet in floor space and the third — the new Winnipeg plant — is acknowledged the finest biscuit factory on the continent.

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Obituary

BABY MOONEN

A deep and lasting sorrow was cast over the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Moonen of West Liberty, on Friday evening, when the Angel of Death removed from them their infant daughter, Marcella Virginia, after a short illness. Little Marcella, who was two months and eighteen days old, leaves to mourn her loss, her parents, one small brother and other relatives. The funeral took place in St. Norbert's Church on Monday, Feb. 29th, at 11 a.m., interment taking place in the R.C. cemetery at Millet, Rev. Fr. P. McQuaid officiating.

MRS. LIND

There passed away at her home at Warburg, on February 27th, Mrs. Lind, beloved wife of A. O. Lind, after a lingering illness of about seven years. Mrs. Lind, who was formerly a resident of West Liberty, leaves to mourn her loss, her husband and six children. The funeral took place at Warburg on Monday, Feb. 29th, interment taking place in the Warburg cemetery. Rev. Elder Ira Benham of Sunnybrook, spoke comforting and helpful words to the bereaved relatives and friends.

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Look at the label on your paper.

ST. NORBERT'S CHURCH
Holy Mass will be celebrated at 10:45 a.m. on March 6th.
Rev. Fr. Pat McQuaid, Parish Priest.

MILLET UNITED CHURCH
Services will be held at the following places on Sunday, March 6th:
Pipstone, 11 a.m.; Hillsdale, 3:30 p.m.; Millet, 7:30 p.m.; Millet Sunday school, 11 a.m.

Rev. H. G. Smith, Pastor.

ST. JOHN'S ANGLICAN CHURCH
During the Lenten period a special service will be held in the church at 4:30 every Thursday afternoon, after the meeting of the W.A.
During the winter months, Communion will be held at 3 p.m. on the second Sunday of each month.
Sunday school at 2 p.m.
Brenson with sermon at 3 p.m. every Sunday except the second when there will be a Communion service instead.

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MILLET LOCAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. John Barth spent a few days in Edmonton this week.

Lloyd Ashton of New Norway, is visiting with his aunt Mrs. Gus. Just, this week.

Misses Ruby Briggs and Elsie Kupals left on Sunday for Onoway, where they will spend a short time visiting friends.

The friends of Mr. H. G. Smith of the Parsonage, will be sorry to hear that she has been confined to her bed by illness during the last week. We all hope to see her about again soon.

The many friends of Mrs. J. West, who went to the Coast a short time ago, will be very glad to know that her health has been much improved by the lower altitude and sea air. Mr. West expects to join her later at Victoria.

It has been definitely announced that Millet will again have a School Fair in 1932. The schools at present which have made entries are in Millet, West Liberty, Sparling, Hillsdale, Pipestone, Telford and Weissenburg.

Mr. J. F. Maine has just received a purebred S.C. White Leghorn cockerel from the pens of Syd. Coldwell of Stettler, winner in the 1929-1930 and 1930-31 egg laying contests at Lethbridge. The cockerel No. W. B. 15945-L.B.K. 619, is from registered hen No. K259, winner over all breeds during her pullet year at Lethbridge in 1929-30 contest. Mr. Maine intends to mate the cockerel with a pen of hens from eggs imported from Chicago in 1931.

THE OLD DAIRY COW

The farmer's best friend is the old dairy cow. If he owes a debt, she will pay it somehow; She grazes the roadside to eke out her life And works without wages the same as his wife. Though Jersey or Holstein or Short-horn her breed, Hard work is her habit and thrift is her creed; And if, when she comes home at night to the barn, You praise her or blame her, she don't give a darn.

She always has something to add to your pelf, She brings in the coupons, just clip them yourself. Get out the old milkstool, sit down with a bump, Grab hold of her handles and un-temptamp.

And if, in her efforts to brush of a fly, She happens to switch her tail against you, In your eye, She murmurs "Beg pardon" politely, And then Goes on with her chewing—and does it again.

She helps with the living and keeps us all fat, The hired man, the baby, the pig and the cat; Then takes the surplus to town, and by Heck, The creamery gives him a "wonderful cheque."

And when she is ready to die of old age The butcher writes "finis" at 'the end of her page; Then back to our table she comes, 'Tis her bound, In prime ribs and steaks that cost thirty a pound.

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A GRIM JOKE

"If Premier Brownlee has a sense of humor he will be thoroughly enjoying the joke he and his Government are having at the expense of the cities. To the cities, however, the joke is a grim one."

This is the sentiment expressed editorially by the Lethbridge Herald. It refers to the government's intention of extracting a substantial revenue through imposing an income tax provisionally. This tax is supposed to put the province on a fair way to a million dollar revenue. It is doubtful if any great share is expected from farmers. The city payrolls are easy to arrive at, but it is more difficult to figure the income of a farmer. His income is not fixed, and he has much more latitude than is permitted anyone in a city business or a wage earner.

The Lethbridge paper continues: "In his letter to the mayor in regard to the protest of the city against the measure of collections from the city by the Government, Mr. Brownlee, referring to these, said that the list 'includes practically the entire source of the revenues of the province.' In plain words here is an admission that the Government depends on the cities for 'practically the entire source of the revenues of the Province.' This dependence is so much appreciated that it hopes to depend further on the cities by extracting income tax which will mean a million dollars to the Government, for it is obvious that the maximum portion of the million dollars must come from the cities in the difficulty of estimating the income of farmers in the rural districts.

"What would the Farmer Government do without the cities in the way of revenues, with the admission of Premier Brownlee that what is taken from the cities forms practically the entire source of the revenue of the Province? The cities are clearly the fairy godmothers of the Province. This, however, is evidently not appreciated by the Government in the measure it should be, for with the Government it is a case of taking from those who give more and more, as is apparent from what will be the result of the proposed income tax."—High River Times.

SMALLER EGGS SAY HENS

The depression is having its effect on hens in the Drumheller district. With the prices lower than at any period in the past decade, one hen belonging to E. C. Coulter, a

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farmer in the Verdant Valley district, decided to reduce the size in conformity with prevailing prices. This hen laid three eggs which together weighed one and three-quarter ounces, the smallest tipping the scales at one quarter of an ounce and being smaller than the average egg laid by a sparrow. The largest egg weighed one ounce and was about the size of a crow's egg, while the medium egg was half an ounce and was smaller than a pigeon's egg. Two of the three eggs were almost round.—Drumheller Mail.

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We wish through the columns of The Times to express our sincere appreciation and thanks to our neighbors and friends, especially to Rev. Wingblad and Mrs. Elkermann, for the sympathy and assistance extended to us during our recent bereavement, and also for the many beautiful floral tributes.

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No. 5 Wheat	35
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Barley	26 1/2
Hops	2 1/2
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Steers	3c to 4c
Eggs	17-15-12

BORN

GRAVES—In the Wetaskiwin hospital on the 2nd inst. to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Graves of Millet, a son. ANNAS—On February 29th, to Mr. and Mrs. Chris Annas of Malmo, a son.

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Sunday, March 6—

11—Morning service.

7:30—Evening service.

At the morning service the young men of the Tuxis Square will bring the Christian message of World Brotherhood and Peace.

At the evening service the Lenten message of "Born Again."

Communicants class meets in the Sunday school rooms immediately at the close of the morning service.

Junior Sunday school at 2:30 p.m., and Senior Groups school at 12:05 noon.

ZION LUTHERAN

Dickson Ave.

Rev. A. Appel, Pastor

Sunday, March 6—

10:30 a.m.—German Lenten service

12 noon—Sunday school.

7:30 p.m.—English Lenten service.

Y.P.S. and Bible study, Tuesday at 8 p.m.

German: 7:30 p.m.—Lenten service

Saturday school, 9:30 a.m.

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Rev. P. C. Wade, L.Th., Vicar

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Sunday, March 6—

10 a.m.—Holy Communion.

10 a.m.—Sunday school.

7:30 p.m.—Evening and sermon, subject, "Mother and the Home."

Wednesday, March 9—8 p.m., Litany and address.

Please note change in the hour of Sunday school.

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SWEDISH BAPTIST

East side Baptist Church

P. M. Meyer, Pastor

Saturday, March 5—3 p.m. Church business meeting.

Sunday, March 6—

11 a.m.—Sunday school at Crooked Lake school, Nashville school, Nashville church and Wetaskiwin.

3 p.m.—Gospel service, also Baptismal and Communion services.

8 p.m.—Young people's Gospel service.

Wednesday, 8 p.m., Prayer meeting.

Thursday afternoon, March 10th, the Crooked Lake Ladies' Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. S. Carlson, one mile north of Wynne.

PENTECOSTAL ASSEMBLY

John L. Wood, Pastor

2 p.m.—Sunday school.

3 p.m.—Devotional service.

7:30 p.m.—Baptist service.

Wednesday, 8 p.m.—Prayer meeting at the parsonage.

Friday 8 p.m.—Young People's meeting at the parsonage.

GWYNNE GOSPEL TABERNACLE

Sunday school, 11 a.m.

Evening service, 8 o'clock.

THE SALVATION ARMY

Capt. Campbell

Holiness meeting, 11 a.m.

Company meeting, 8 p.m.

Salvation meeting, 7:30 p.m.

Thursday—Prayer meeting, 8 p.m.

Tuesday, Public meeting, 8 p.m.

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN

Rev. C. J. Mackay, Minister

Sabbath services—

Morning—11.

Evening—7:30.

Sabbath School—12:15 p.m.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN

Sunday, March 6—

At Svea: 11 a.m. Swedish service.

At Wetaskiwin: 7 p.m., Sunday school; 8 p.m., Swedish services.

Rev. Lindquist of Peace River will preach.

WETASKIWIN BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. F. W. Benke, pastor

11 a.m.—Sunday school.

7:30 p.m.—Gospel service.

SWEDISH MISSION

Sunday, March 6—

Sunday school, 11 a.m.

Young people's service 8 p.m.

Tuesday, March 8—Prayer meeting at the home of J. Berg at 8 p.m.

APPRECIATION

I wish to thank all those who supported me at the election on Saturday last. Although not elected, I shall continue to take an active interest in the affairs of our Municipality.

HENRY YOUNG.

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Here and There

New Brunswick will be selected as the training ground for the Boston Bruins Hockey Club prior to the 1933 N. H. L. season. About 40 players will go into the training camps some time around October 15.

Autumn sowing of all grains in Soviet Russia last year amounted to 95,000,000 acres, representing a decrease of 10.8 per cent from the official fall sowing programme mapped out by the government, according to a recent cable received by the Canadian Department of Trade and Commerce.

Week-end trips, so popular last year on Canadian Railway lines, will remain in force this year after February 29, the date set for their discontinuation. The Canadian Passenger Association has reached this decision under pressure of public demand. Under this arrangement, round trip tickets between any Canadian stations for any week-end are offered by the railways at the rate of one and a quarter times the regular single fare.

Two Alberta speed-skating records were smashed at the recent Banff Winter Sports Carnival. The 220 yards event was won by A. E. Hardy, of Saskatoon, in 20 seconds flat, 4-5 seconds better than the former Alberta record. The Three mile event was also taken by Hardy in 9 minutes and 2-5 seconds, better than the former Alberta record. Miss Margaret J. Nicol, of Drumheller, was elected Carnival Queen and will reign over the Banff Winter Sports Carnival of 1933.

Travellers in Canada at Easter-time will have the benefit of the same ticket privileges as were granted them at Christmas, according to a recent announcement made by the Canadian Passenger Association on behalf of the Canadian Pacific and Canadian National Railways. This concession will be in force for round trip travel generally to the travelling public, between Thursday, March 24 and Sunday, March 27, with return available up to Tuesday, March 29.

Fifty-seven 10-year leases of salmon and trout fishing rivers, lakes and streams in New Brunswick will be put up to public auction at the Parliament Building, Fredericton, April 7 next, at upset prices ranging between \$25 per annum and \$12,000 per annum, is the announcement of Hon. L. F. D. Tilley, provincial Minister of Lands and Mines. They represent the pick of salmon fishing facilities on this side of the American continent.

At the close of a meeting of the directors of the Canadian Pacific held at Montreal, February 8, President E. W. Beatty announced that in order to help western farmers over the present period of depression the Company has offered to write-off interest on land contracts for the year 1931. This offer will be extended to the year 1932 on condition that the contract holder pays his taxes and one half of the interest on his contract this year. Further encouragement in the form of a bonus will be given to those who make payments on account of arrears of interest, the bonus to be in proportion to payment made. This should be of great assistance to contract holders on the Company's lands who have suffered through depressed markets or crop failures. (824)

RUSSIAN CITIZEN HEARS

TERRIBLE TALES OF CANADA

The following letter which was published in the Wilkie, Sask. Press, shows that Russians are fed the same stories about Canada, as Canada is fed about Russia. It is a translation of a letter received by a Russian in Wilkie from his brother in Russia:

Dear Brother:
Now I am going to write you once more that we are still well and wish you the same from God. Now I will tell you all the news I know. I think you put in your last letter what is not the truth because in our newspapers it is plainly printed that the Canadian small farmers are begging from house to house and no roof over them, and we read that 200,000 farmers have been driven from their farms. Tell me plainly if what our newspapers print is true or not, because you told me that you have built a house and made a payment on your land and here we read that you are hungry together. Unless we can earn money away from the farm we all go hungry, whole villages together. The food is being sold out of the country after taking it away from us. It seems to me our government is no longer Bolshevik else they would not let us hunger. Our newspapers all

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ways say that it is capitalistic governments which let the people hunger, but we are hungry too. From our village four men have gone to earn bread and I am to go in December. My property is one sheep, one little pig and five cats to eat the mice, and a dog which I shot so that

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